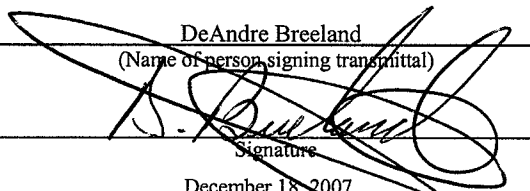


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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.121
AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed on July 19, 2007, Applicant hereby petitions for a two-month extension of time, extending the period for response to and including December 19, 2007. Applicant submits herewith an electronic payment in the amount of \$460.00 for the payment of the extension fee. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.